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In re Application of: Renaldo Undasan Application No. 10/507,341 Filed: September 10, 2004

DECISION ON PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.181

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This is a decision on the petition filed June 06, 2007 under 37 CFR § 1.181 to invoke Supervisory Authority of the Commissioner and require the Examiner to withdraw the Finality of the rejection mailed March 6, 2007.

On filed June 06, 2007, applicant's counsel filed a petition to the Director under 37 CFR § 1.181 to seek relief from actions of the examiner in relation to the Final Office action mailed March 6, 2007. In the petition, applicant's counsel alleged that a new grounds of rejection of claim 1 was introduced for the very first time on this claim while the amendment only moved features from claim 6 word for word into claim 1; thus rendering the Final Office action premature.

A review of the amendment filed December 8th, 2006, indicates that the amendment does not justify a new grounds of rejection nor was an IDS filed with a fee and a certificate. Therefore the finality of the March 6, 2007 office action is improper and hereby withdrawn.

Accordingly, the petition is **Granted.** 

The period for response continues to run from the now non-final office action Mailed March 6, 2007.

Any inquiry concerning this decision should be directed to Tod Swann whose telephone number is (571) 272-3612.

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